

Driver Arrested on Dope Charge

A driver was arrested on suspicion of narcotics violations and car theft after police stopped him near North High School Thursday afternoon. Arrested was Reed Halford

Knight, 20, of 4504 Cadison St. who, police said, had a paper bag containing what appeared to be marijuana on the front seat of the car. Police reported they observed the suspect almost strike a parked car near North High School. Officers said the suspect also told conflicting stories of ownership of his car.

Underground Fire Site Under Study

Feasibility of an underground fire station at Torrance Municipal Airport will be investigated by City Manager George Stevens.

Suggestion to study the advisability of a subterranean engine house was made by Richard De Armit, president of the firemen's local.

He said that agencies now are planning underground facilities in case of disaster, and could be used as a bomb shelter.

But whether above or below ground, the council gave approval to locate a double-threat fire station at the airport opposite of Newton St.

The station will be designed to serve both the Waleria and southeast Torrance area as well as house an airport crash vehicle.

Councilmen also ordered that the old Waleria fire station which will be abandoned when the new one is completed at the airport, be painted.

The new station is expected to cost approximately \$65,000 and is to be completed in about a year.



MOVING DAY NEAR—The present Torrance Municipal Bus terminal at Cabrillo and Cravens Aves. will be abandoned next Sunday when the buses will be moved to a triangular park at Torrance Blvd., Engracia and Sartori Aves. —Press Photo

City Bus Terminal Moving

Beginning next Sunday, commuters on Torrance Municipal Bus Lines will have to board the coaches at a new terminal.

As of Saturday night, the city buses will be evicted from their depot at Cabrillo and Cravens because the city is being confronted with a rent hike.

Marshall Chamberlain, city bus superintendent, said that beginning Sunday the depot will be moved to a triangular park bounded by Torrance Blvd., Engracia and Sartori Aves.

He announced that benches as well as posted schedules will be placed in the park for convenience of passengers. Present time tables will be retained.

Chamberlain said that different lines will leave from different quarters of the triangle park.

He explained that the city decided to move its Torrance terminal rather than pay a monthly increase of approximately \$150. He said the city also will cut out the ticket agent's job and all fares will be paid directly to the drivers.

second division in her class. While others read regular books, she does the same work in braille.

She skips rope, plays ball and is well liked among other children, who treat her as an equal.

That's the job Anderson is seeking to accomplish. He believes there is no reason the sightless persons should not be able to master horseback riding, golf or other sports and fall right into the life of the community.

Delinquent Dog Owners Warned to Pay Quickly

Dog owners who have not paid their license fees or filed a rabies inoculation certificate by April 20, will face citation by the South Bay Humane Society.

Officials of that organization said that 1959 fees are overdue and have been delinquent since Sept. 30. Approximately 1000 pooch owners have failed to obtain license tags for their pets.

Others have sent in checks without paying the \$1.50 penalty for being late or have not complied with the rabies provision of the city, humane officials said.

Blind Youngster Finds Bowling to Be Fun

(Continued from Page 1) also get spanked, just like the others.

"We make them live a normal life. We are awful proud of them and not ashamed like some people are with handicapped children," explains Mrs. Torrance.

Good Reader
This attitude has helped the youngsters. For example, Daron, a second grader at Washington School, Hawthorne, is the only blind youngster in her reading group and is in the top of the



SPEEDSTER—Lonnie Patterson, 8, of 2423 West 253rd St., Lomita, demonstrated his ability as a quarter midget driver when he took second place in the main event in the Easter Invitational Midget Races in Las Vegas. He has won 38 trophies in his racing career. He is a second grader at Harbor City Christian School.

Teacher Salary Hike Bid Now Under Study by School Board

A request for teacher salary increases was taken under study by the Board of Education Tuesday following a presentation made by the Torrance Education Association salary committee.

The group developed an ideal request to raise minimum salaries from the present \$4635 per 10 months year to \$4700. The maximum would be lifted from the present \$8031 to \$8000.

The committee also advocated that the present 14-step plan for certificated employees of Torrance Unified School District be cut to 10, and that the annual increment be raised from \$306 to \$300.

Committee Secretary Jack Knibb pointed out that "too many" teachers now find it necessary to supplement their salaries by "moonlighting."

Although the issue of outside work has created a storm among city employees who have been forbidden to do it as of last week, the Board of Education

has no formal objection to it. The committee claims that Torrance salaries are below average in unified districts in the county and state. It pointed out that current year's delayed pay hike of 2.4 per cent was below that of a county average of 3.9 per cent.

Dr. Albert N. Posner, assistant superintendent, said he is not aware if other districts in this area will grant salary hikes next year. He explained that Torrance's income will hinge to a great extent on the fate of legislative bills under consideration.

Students from various fourth through eighth grade classes will take part in the social studies pageant, in which Marco Polo, Columbus, Cortez, Washington, Lincoln, and many other familiar figures will take part. Authentic costumes and student-prepared backdrops will add to the presentation.

Historical Pageant
Many noted figures from American history will march across the stage at Casimir Elementary School tomorrow at 10:30 a.m. as students present a historical pageant, "America's Links to the Past."

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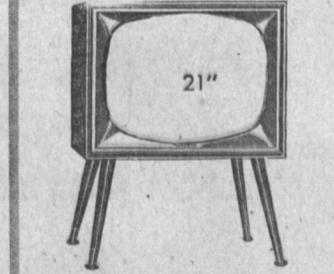
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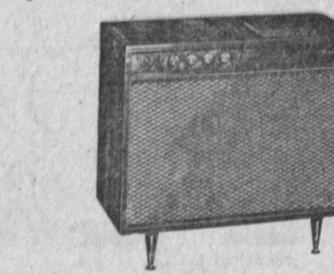
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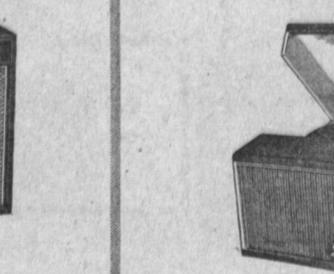
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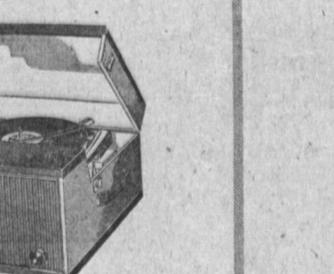
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